

# Rothbury Farms

**COMPLETE DISPERSAL**

**FEBRUARY 23, 1974**

**AT THE REGINA EXHIBITION GROUNDS  
REGINA, SASKATCHEWAN  
CANADA**



*"MASSIVE MAJOR"*

**YES! . . . HE SELLS ALONG  
WITH THE ENTIRE ROTHBURY  
BROOD COW FACTORY AND THEIR PRODUCE**

**— 125 HEAD SELL —**

## "FELLOW SHORTHORN BREEDERS"

Decisions are a way of life, and if there were 730 days in a year instead of 365, there would not be a Rothbury Shorthorn Dispersion Sale.

A few years back we started the Rothbury Livestock Development Co. A company dedicated to the proper feeding, growing, promoting and development of breeding stock. This company has grown to the point where it demands our full time. We hope in the future to show champions and sell sale-toppers for you, the Shorthorn breeders, who don't have the time to use these important promotion tools yourselves.

Complete dispersions are where you can buy it all, not just the "selected for sale" cattle. Yes, you can buy the complete Rothbury factory on February 23. This factory has worked hard. Their production has stood the test at North America's top sale, the International Bull Sale.

For the last six years, Rothbury bulls have either been the Champion or top seller at each sale, and hold the record for the highest selling polled bull ever at \$7,000. At last year's sale, Rothbury had the top selling bull, a son of Major at \$5,700, also the top breeders bull average in America at \$1,700 on 11 bulls.

This year all the top Rothbury bulls will be in Regina February 23, but even more important, you can buy the factory that made these champions, and top sellers. Cows that have had the "not for sale" sign on them for years can now go to work for you.

"Tank", the only bull ever to win three of America's major shows in succession, and is now siring champions for Bob Lee Farms, is a stock bull at Rothbury. A one-third semen interest in him sells February 23.

"Massive Major" — one of the top polled hereford breeders in Texas who purchased an interest in a yearling hereford bull for \$30,000 in November, had this to say about Major. "You fellows find me a hereford bull that looks like him. Don't worry about the price; we will sign the cheque." An Angus breeder from Illinois said if he was black, he would be worth a million.

Competition within a breed is good, but when you can shock the opposition like Major can, this can only lead to betterment within the industry.

Major, along with his famous son "One Eye", both sell, and every breeding age female selling has been bred to them. Also all the calves selling are their sons and daughters.

In closing, we hope you don't come to Regina expecting to see fitted show cattle. We have had a very cold winter, with temperatures in the 30 to 40 below range many nights, and all these cattle are wintered outside with only the stars for heat. They are healthy and strong, and ready to work for you.



Good air service is available to Regina, plus excellent motel accommodation. The Canadian International Sale is Monday, February 25, giving you Sunday to travel to Brandon.

"You can select from what we selected." In the last ten years we purchased three complete herds plus a good portion of another one, then we retained approximately 20 per cent of these cattle for the Rothbury cow herd.







*"Candun Queen of Beauty". She sells.*

Only in dispersions can you buy it all. The last six consecutive years a Rothbury bull has been the Champion or top seller at America's top sale, the Canadian International Bull Sale. All the top Rothbury bulls sell in the dispersion.

*A "Major" daughter. She sells.*



TO:

CANADA  
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PORT PAYE

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BRANDON



*A "Major" son. Ask Gary Engelhorn of Olivet, South Dakota, what he thinks of him.*

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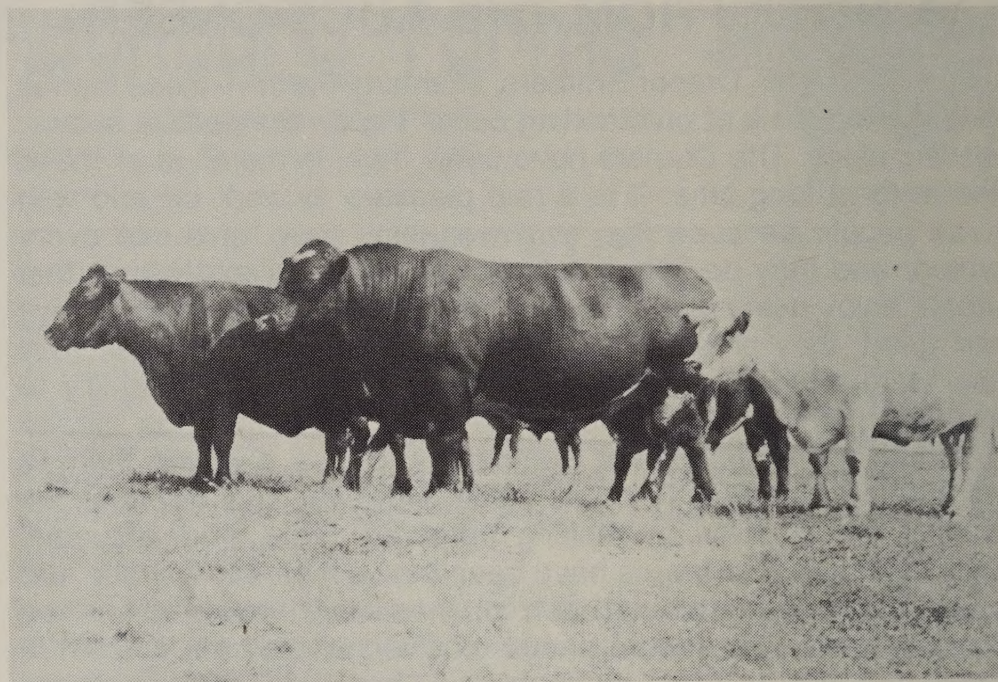
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**"MASSIVE MAJOR"**

**Lot 1**

**Herd Sire**

**FOUR POINT MAJOR X418530**

Tattoo AEBY 12X rt. ear, red, white markings, born May 4, 1966.

Ball Dee Perfect Count	(Carona Perfect X366529
X407751	(Red, C. M. Johnson
Red, D. Ball	(Ball Dee Coral Sunshine X461005
	(Red, D. Ball
	(Nupar Meteor X381568
Nupar Miss Lea X518211	(Red, Star, Nupar Stock Farm
Red, Nupar Stock Farm	(Nupar Melody Lea 1L X484353
	(Red, J. Fox, Jr.

"MASSIVE MAJOR" The sale of this great animal will go down in history as one of the most important transactions of all times. He sells in his entirety.





## ROTHBURY CHAMPIONS

**Lot 2**

**"ONE EYE"**

**Herd Sire**

**ROTHBURY MASSIVE MAJOR 662C X436398**

Tattoo YTO 662C rt. ear, Roan, born July 20, 1971.

Four Point Major X418530	(Ball Dee Perfect Count X407751)
Red, white markings,	(Red, D. Ball
E. O. Berg	(Nupar Miss Lea X518211
Oaklynn Flora	(Red, Nupar Stock Farm
X526869	(Hi Way Fantasy X378901
Red Roan,	(Dark Roan, W. H. Larson
R. A. Wilson & Son	(Fairholm Flora 3rd X491491
	(Red, A. R. Tolton

"ONE EYE" By the look of this young bulls first calves, he will do the job. He was turned out to work before he was eleven months old. He lost his one eye with Pink Eye.

**Lot 3**

**Male**

**ROTHBURY SUPER LEADER 845D X437424**

Tattoo YTO 845D rt. ear, Roan, born May 2, 1972.

Rothbury Sir Leader	(T P S Coronet Leader 21st X406273
X422665	(White, L. W. Thieman
Red, white markings,	(Riverpark Lassie X411396
H. E. Wilson	(Red, R. A. Wilson & Son
Encore Victor's Doris	(Oakcrest Victor X375409
X562067	(Red, white marks, C. Weddell
Red, underline white,	(Bromelee H T R Doris 2nd X501178
C. C. Harris	(Red, L. Edmondson

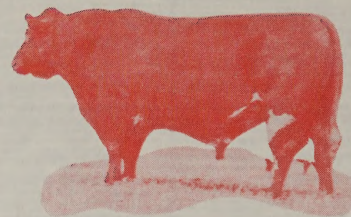
Here is a top young prospect we have used. His mother is one of the best cows in the sale. One of her sons sired the big white bull in the Latimer's Sale that brought \$5,200.00



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POLLED SHORTHORNS

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WAYNE C. NEELY  
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DEAR MR. NEELY,

Our catalogs are still at the printers. I am sending you one of our pamphlets, and if the catalogs arrive in time for mailing, I will forward one to you. Thank you for your interest in our sale and we look forward to seeing you there.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'John Draper'.

John Draper.